

**U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
INITIAL POLREP**

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**I. GENERAL SITE INFORMATION**

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| <b>FPN:</b>                  | E04411                                    |
| <b>Site ID#</b>              | Z4G8                                      |
| <b>Site Name:</b>            | Lee Transport Oil Spill                   |
| <b>Latitude:</b>             | N35°-33'-44"                              |
| <b>Longitude:</b>            | W079°-09'-07"                             |
| <b>City, County, State:</b>  | Sanford, Lee County, North Carolina       |
| <b>Response Authority:</b>   | OPA-90                                    |
| <b>NPL Status:</b>           | Non-NPL                                   |
| <b>Incident Category:</b>    | Emergency Response                        |
| <b>EPA OSC:</b>              | Jose Negron                               |
| <b>NRC Report #:</b>         | 714692                                    |
| <b>Project Ceiling:</b>      | \$3,000.00                                |
| <b>Date of Notification:</b> | 29FEB04 (notification by Reg. 4 Duty OSC) |
| <b>Date Action Started:</b>  | 29FEB04                                   |
| <b>Pollutant:</b>            | Kerosene                                  |
| <b>Quantity Discharged:</b>  | 2000 gallons                              |

**II. BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

- A. Type of facility or Site:** Tanker truck rollover.
- B. Site description:** Tanker truck carrying 7,000 gallons of kerosene was in an accident and rolled over spilling an estimated 2,000 gallons of kerosene to the ground surface thereby flowing into a wetlands area threatening Gum Fork Creek near Sanford, NC.

**III. RESPONSE INFORMATION**

- A. Actions Taken:** The RP hired a contractor (Noble Oil) to conduct cleanup activities including building a berm, the use of boom and recovering product. Lee County EMA

was providing oversight of contractor. EPA OSC Negrón was dispatched to conduct oversight and direction as appropriate.

**B. Future Actions:** Recovery operations to continue until threat mitigated.

#### **IV ESTIMATED COSTS TO DATE**

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| EPA | \$1,000 |
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